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Note by the Secretariat

The Economic and Social Council adopted the draft ministerial declaration of the 2002 high-level segment, which stressed the pivotal role of the Council in maintaining the focus on implementation and financing for human resources development as part of its responsibilities in the integrated and coordinated follow-up of major United Nations conferences and summits, and called upon the Council to mobilize and promote a coordinated action by the United Nations system for implementing the declaration, which is submitted to the General Assembly as a contribution to the follow-up to the major United Nations conferences and summits, including the Millennium Summit.

